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THURSDAY, AUGUST 21, 1913.

### IS THE OFFICE WORTH IT!

H. Glynn, we suppose,

Birmingham possesses an unique or, what about the extertionate practices ganization in its ex-Slave Association, of Virginia loan sharks?

Whose members will soon have a great. Senator Morris Sheppard, the Texan year-old widow, to manage her \$50,000

office of Governor of New York, but myself plain?" Judging from his. The fact that Senator Tillman is

He is a bold prophet who will predict the immediate fate of Harry Thaw, That much-discussed individual is port of the State Board of Charities making his own precedents, and until and Corrections on the Bon Air Home Washington Bureau......Munsey Building he has been given a hearing, has us for Girls, while in the mail came the Petersburg Bureau......199 N. Sycamore Street all guessing. Whether he is held or announcement that Governor Slaton, goes to the authorities of New York Year, Mos. Mos. Mo. or New Hampshire, are mooted ques. Georgia. tions, upon which no man can pass

how small and how large is this counsmall country where a furtive's every

a system that sells publicity at such a along on the tide of popular sympaman had legal advantages, Thaw en. THE WEST POINT OF THE SOUTH. we must limit expenses the statute length returned to the asylum it will be united States Army, lack the savor of

10,000 and you have if we cease not to besmirch justice and pares favorably with that maintained

reads Utopian and is a distant goal, ship, eight of them as Speaker! Surely partment aid the State by supplying it but it is not unawrinable in time.

Why should we spend our substance for offices that do not pay?

The people of Illinois, who tolerated him so long and so patiently, will not foist him on the body freed at last from the tyrannous majority of which he was czar, a majority that substi-

story of his success and of his rise in business is the story of Southern programment and brave deeds and a courage not less commendable than that of battle.

When George Cameron found himber of in the struggle for success, he did not feel that himself alone head and front of the standpatters, the should enjoy the fruits. Realizing that should enjoy the fruits. Realizing that should enjoy the fruits. Realizing that should himself to be brought into substitution of the standpatters, the bitterest and most relentless fee of near had a duty to his community, he sacrificed his personal counforts and allowed himself to be brought into substitute of the standpatters that he shelled his personal counforts and allowed himself to be brought into substitute of the people for self-government, should be permitted to sit again in the body which is supposed to the closest to the people, most reperting to the standpatters, the substitute of the people, most reperting to the standpatters of the people of affluent men who hold their substitute of them and most relember to the people for self-government, should be washington, Pa. Is said to have confessed that he taught people to steal. Most readers will think his address should be Washington, D. C.

One of our exchanges announces the return of a citizen who came to Richmond recently for surgical attention.

to hear that he had died at the German town wither he had fied for health. No wonder that they gent a delegation to New York to escort back with all honor the body of him they admired and respected. No wonder that when they bury him, the city does him honor and every man feels the town a loser by his passing.

Tame O'Hara, a Japanese butler in New York, gave baille to the family that discharged him, and ran it out appropriateness of his first name.

"After Sulzer, what?" saked the Philadelphia North Apersan Market and the passing and the passing and the philadelphia North Apersan Market and the passing and the philadelphia North Apersan Market and the propagation of the dead and with the dead let him recantal world with the dead and with the dead and with the dead and the with the dead and with the dead and the with the dead let him recantal mond recently for surgical attention. This world that he dead and the mond recently for surgical attention. This head was operated on," We are deturned much improve and is doing nicely." Thank least and the serial mond recently for surgical attention. This with the dead and and with the dead and the with the dead and and the graph was a not the graph of the serial mond recently for surgical attention. This will be and the graph was a first and the with the dead and and the graph was a first and the provision of the strength of the family with the dead and the with the

Philadelphia North American, Martin | While all this row is going on about others in authority, but for the angels the loan sharks' lobby in Congress, in heaven themselves.

everybody knows who's who in the big photograph, we should think he was against suffrage is no argument 

brought The Times-Dispatch the reannouncement that Governor Slaton, liberated and whether, if deported, he of Georgia, was expected to veto the bill for the creation of a like school in

It makes us proud of Virginia to see with what care the Board of Chari-The whole affair illustrates at once ties has studied the needs of the Virginia home, but it makes us sad to think that public sentiment in our sister Southern State will permit the veto of the Georgia bill because it appropriates too much money for such a

Think of that! The good men in Georgia who put this measure through the Legislature asked only \$20,000 for the girls who need the guardianship procured, only to find that the Gov-

too, when his fighting blood is up and outrageous his crime the more mand- care and kindness prompts should be left undone. These little gir's are not themselves culpable. They are the creatures of bad heredity and unfortunate environment and for their distress the State is responsible. For and we must at least carry out the sug-

They will bury George Cameron in Petersburg this afternoon, and the good people of the city will stand beside his grave and wonder at the providence of again go before the people for elective, so helpful to his day.

George Cameron was a Virginian, born in the bitter days of strife and reared in that stern generation when our young men had to grapple with stubborn aconomic conditions. The stubborn aconomic conditions. The business is the story of his success and of his rise in business is the story of Southern prog-

"After Sulzer, what?" asked the Who's looney now?

picule and barbecue. There are several hundred of them, and all the real "clothed with the bullot" is this a che turkey-troited in a hotel corridor, but a sufficient defense would be that

On the Spur of the Moment

By Roy K. Moulton

The Renson.

Dishes piled up in the sink,
Waves of dust upon the floor,
Beds unmade and grass uncut,
Fifty cards in the front door.
Collars, neckties, here and, there
Socks distributed around.
Clothing piled in every chair,
Nothing where it should be found
Cigar ashes everywhere,
Poker chips and scattered decks,
Mantel filled with varied junk,
Sardine cans by many pecks,
Empty bottles, solied white vests,
Shoes upon the chandelier,
Desolation reigns supreme
In a one-time house of cheer.
Reason for it is quite plain,
And it isn't hard to seek;
Mother is resorting and
She's been gone almost a week.

Any Maiden.

A maiden left her downy couch one morn not long ago and she put a little powder on her face. She made her toilet slowly, fixing everything just so, and she put a little powder on her face. She ambled down to breakfast and she dropped into her seat. She passed her plate to papa and she got a little meat. She finished up on coffee, cake and predigested wheat, and she put a little powder on her face. She took a walk to go downtown and shop a little bit, and she put a little powder on her face. That afternoon she spent a dime for ice cream at the store and when she'd finished eating it she longed for just one more, but thinking of the dime 'twould cost she started for the door, and she put a little powder on her face. She took a taxicab at 2 back to her home to go, and she put a little powder on her face. She took a taxicab at 2 back to her home to go, and she put a little powder on her face. She took a taxicab at 3 back to her home to go, and she put a little powder on her face. She took a taxicab at 3 back to her home to go, and she put a little powder on her face. She ate her dinner with the folks and went to call up Joe, and put a little powder on her face. Joe came that night 'and sat around till midnight, it is said, and when he'd gone the maiden fair declared that she was dead. She hustled to her room upstairs and tumbled into bed, and she put a little powder on her face. Any Malden.

Signs of the Times It seems almost a sin for so many people to flock to summer resorts when Kansas is in urgent need of 40,000 Market hands.
Once again we hear that Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Rubber, of Missouri, have welcomed a little stranger to their home. Probably it is a bouncing

man has been shot in the ten-in. Not necessarily a fatal place e shot, probably, ople are very particular about nobiles, but they don't think anyautomobiles, but they don't think any-thing of riding in a 1905 model street

car.

"Any stranger who comes into this town." says a peeved exchange, "can organize an Atlantic and Pacific Life Cyclone, Lightning, Plate Glass, Accident and Suffragette Insurance Company and sell all the stock right here, yet somebody who was born and raised among us can't sell a half-dozen clothessins to one of us without an investigation as to where they came from and all about it. He wouldn't be able to sell them then if there was any stranger in town selling the same thing." That is true of every locality, however. It is the stranger who knocks off the persimmons.

A Boston man has been fined for leaving his automobile unattended for more than twenty minutes, but it is a remarkable automobile that can go without the attention of an expert for that length of time.

It is a real instruction to read the following sign in a store window: "Half Ladies" Hose." We don't know exactly what a half lady is unless it is one of those male ginks who wear hindlerchiefs in their coat sleeves.

No summer resort cottage is complete nowadays without a steam heating plant.

### A CITY'S LAMENT

GEORGE CAMERON, JR., Mayor of the City of Petersburg, Died at Bad Nauheim, Germany, August 4, 1913. Buried in Petersburg, Va., August 21, 1913.

With halting words, but with a grief profound,
when the Laurente sang his Hallam home ecan foam His friend beloved to rest in Enginnd's ground— Or as when Milton wept for Lycid drowned.

Or Shelley sang of Kents's grave ... Arnold sang of Thyrsis in that tome That cheered thee when disease thy

hody bound-With such a loving thought of

with such a pride in deeds that won our praise,
With such a poignant sorrow at the InstThy city weeps thee home and feels the pang.
The bitter loss that all these

poets sang.
ARTHUR KYLE DAVIS.

## FLIES!

Horse manure is the principal hatching place for flies. It can be made sterile with coal oil, carbelle acid, copperas water or dry loam by mixing thoroughly. Horsemen, stablemen, owners of horses and sanitary inspectors, pay attention! Cut this out. Let 1913 be a flyless year-

Abe Martin



HIS MEAL TICKET GONE



Voice of the People

Insek Appropriation for Britter Teeth for Children.

To the Editor of The Times-Dispatch:

Sir.—When we learn of things for the people shall have learned to tell the state of the people shall have learned to tell the state of the people shall have learned to tell the state of the people shall have learned to tell the state of the people shall have learned to tell the state of the people shall have learned to tell the state of the people shall have learned to tell the state of the people shall have learned to tell the state of the people shall have learned to tell the state of the people shall have learned to tell the state of the people shall have learned to tell the state of the people shall have learned to tell the state of the people shall have learned to tell the people shall have learned to the people shall have learned the people shall have learned to the people shall have learned to the people shall have learned to the people shall have learned the people shall have learned to the people shall have learned the people shall have learned the people shall have learned to the people shall have learned to the people shall have learned the people shall have learned the people shall have learned to the people shall have learned the people shall have been than the people shall be people shall be people shall be p

and have them referred back to them, to be enacted into law or rejected by a majority vote.

That the President shall not veto laws thus enacted.

That the President and judges of the Supreme Court of the United States shall be elected by popular vote.

This is the only way by which we can establish a democracy. This plan would absolutely put the people into the government business, and as well we use the government business. There are a great many now who will regard this proposition as being very radical and unwise, but before ten years the people will regard it as being conservative and wise. The startling facts disclosed by the lobby investigation now going on at Washington and the infamous practice of legislating behind closed doors in party caucuses thoroughly substantiates the logic and wisdom of the propositions submitted. If the people are not sufficiently intelligent to legislate for themselves then we had better establish a monarchy, for a monarchical form of government is far superior to an oligarchy, which we practically have in the United States.

Whenever the people shall have learned to dispense with lawmaking bodies in the way in which I have indicated and make the laws themselves it will be impossible for the trusts and combines to control them. Why? Because there will be men in every pre-

Abolish Legislatures.

To the Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir.—I will propose an amendment to the Federal Constitution and to that of the several States so as to abolish the Legislatures of the several States so as to abolish the Legislatures of the several States and the Congress of the United States, and the Congress of the United States, and provide in their stead the following:

That the Governor, Attorney-General and Secretary of State shall frame bills and submit them to the people to be enacted into law or rejected by a majority vote.

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## Wasted Money

You spend a great many dollars a year on little things you do not need. A great deal of money is thrown away because it is "only a dime" or "just a quarter."

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